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TO: PRIORITY SANTIAGO.

1. FOLLOWING ARE RESULTS HQS DISCUSSION 40 COMMITTEE PROPOSAL WITH STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS INCLUDING MESSRS. KUBISCH AND SHLAUDEMAN ON 23 NOVEMBER. {FYI PROPOSAL INCREASED TO [REDACTED] TO REFLECT 25% INCREASE IN DOLLAR COSTS AS REPORTED REF.}

A. KUBISCH OPPOSED PROPOSAL COMPLETELY. HE IS AGAINST SUPPORT TO ANY CHILEAN GROUP SINCE HE FEELS POLITICAL ACTION SHOULD ONLY BE USED AS LAST RESORT FOR MOST COMPELLING "U.S. INTEREST" REASONS. HE HAD NOT TALKED TO AMBASSADOR DAVIS ABOUT MATTER BUT AUTHORIZED SHLAUDEMAN TO DO SO. KEPT RAISING SERIOUS PROBLEM SPECTER IF JUNTA DISCOVERED WE WERE FUNDING PDC.

B. SHLAUDEMAN DEFENDED CONTINUING SUPPORT TO PDC ON GROUNDS THAT NEEDED THEIR FUTURE GOOD WILL AND ABRUPT TERMINATION OF SUPPORT WOULD LEAD PARTY LEADERS TO BELIEVE WE HAD USED THEM DURING ALLENDE GOVERNMENT AND THEN DUMPED THEM AS SOON AS MILITARY TOOK OVER. HE SUGGESTED AS POSSIBLE SOLUTION, SURGE FUNDING OF PDC TO CARRY THEM

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FOR PERIOD OF TIME WITH UNDERSTANDING THEY ARE THEN ON THEIR OWN.

SHLAUDEMAN JOINED KUBISCH IN OPPOSING FUNDS FOR

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2. ANOTHER MEETING WITH STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS ON 40 COMMITTEE PROPOSAL WILL BE SCHEDULED FOR 7 DECEMBER, AFTER C/WH RETURNS TO HQS. REQUEST STATION CABLE ANY NEW OR PARTICULARLY COMPELLING ARGUMENTS IN FAVOR OF PROPOSAL, SINCE WE WILL OBVIOUSLY NEED BEST POSSIBLE AMMUNITION.

3. PLS DO NOT DISCUSS ABOVE WITH CHARGE OR OTHER EMBASSY OFFICERS.

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